

# SAVING ENERGY AT THE NATION'S CAPITOL

PROMOTING  
RESOURCE  
CONSERVATION  
THROUGH  
ENERGY  
EFFICIENCY,  
WASTE REDUCTION,  
AND  
RECYCLING  
ON CAPITOL HILL.

## REDUCE, REUSE, RECYCLE when you RETIRE, RENOVATE, RENEW office space and equipment

### *Start with the 3 R's . . .*

**REDUCE** the amount of materials you consume by conserving, planning ahead, and going digital.

**REUSE** everyday materials instead of wasting disposable materials with each individual use.

**RECYCLE** materials according to the recycling program in your building to prevent landfill waste.

### *Then, add 3 more:*

#### RETIRE

- Replace outmoded energy-intensive equipment with new Energy Star models.
- Get rid of old appliances and equipment with toxic chemicals and refrigerants.
- Contact the AOC to properly dispose of your old electronics and equipment.

#### REPLACE

- aging office equipment with multi-functional, networked equipment to increase usable space.

#### RENOVATE

- your office space for maximum efficiency with smaller, wireless printer/copiers, and devices.
- Plug all equipment into smart strips.
- Place shared equipment in smaller, accessible locations.
- Improve productivity with less clutter and more efficient workstations.
- Choose natural, sustainable, low-VOC materials for good indoor air quality.



**PROTECT**  
the environment  
**PRESERVE**  
natural resources  
**Take PRIDE**  
in your workplace



### CONTACT US

For additional recycling bins and other questions:

House Office Buildings and  
U.S. Capitol, House side only: 225-4141

Senate Office Buildings and  
U.S. Capitol, Senate side only: 224-6344

Capitol:

<http://capitol.aoc.gov/programs/Recycling-Program.cfm>

House:

<http://house.aoc.gov/programs/Recycling/index.cfm>



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**POWER** TO **SAVE**  
ENERGY



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